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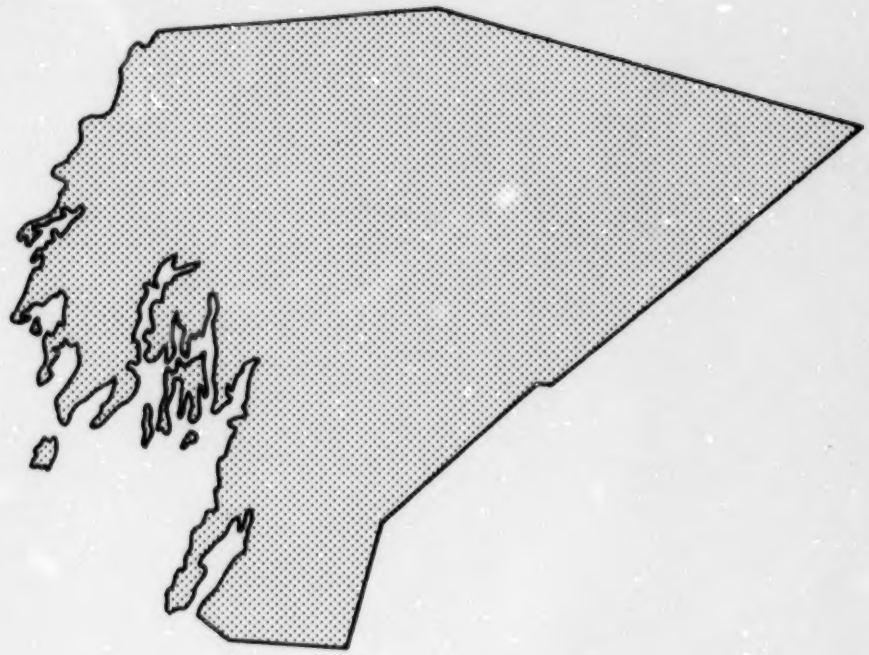

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Yarmouth County

Yarmouth County is a triangular piece of land situated in the southwestern end of Nova Scotia. The first permanent European settlement in the county was the Acadian settlement at Pubnico in 1651. The expulsion of the Acadians in 1755 removed these settlers from the area and the first settlers of note, the New England Yankees, arrived in 1761. Throughout the nineteenth century the Yarmouth area was noted as a shipbuilding centre. In the peak year of 1879 there were 297 vessels registered in the port.

In 1885 the Yarmouth Steamship and Navigation Company began weekly trips between Boston and Yarmouth. The tourist trade developed rapidly with this service and its curtailment at the time of World War II was a severe blow to the local area. It was not until 1955 that regular service was revived with the "Bluenose" connecting Yarmouth and Bar Harbour, Maine. Since that time, a second service to Portland, Maine, has developed the local tourist trade and provided access for local products into the New England market.

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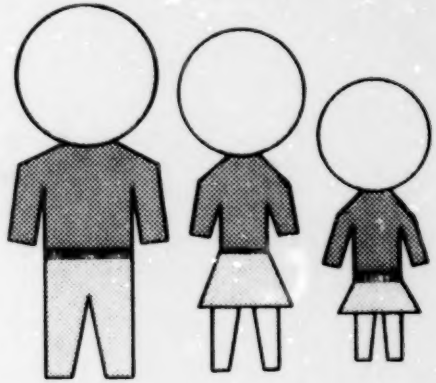
Yarmouth County

Statistical Summary

	YEAR		% OF NOVA SCOTIA
Land area (sq. kilometers)	1981	2,070.7	3.9
Population	1981	26,290	3.1
Population density (per sq. kilometer)	1981	12.7	79.4
Labour Force	1981	10,895	2.9
Employed	1981	9,805	2.9
Average income per tax filer ($)	1981	10,885	87.0
Total retail sales ($'000)	1983	90,300	2.6
Retail sales per capita ($)	1983	3,358	84.1
Number of farms	1981	143	2.8
Lumber production (M. fbm.)	1982	2,170	1.4
Pulpwood production (m^3 solid wood)	1982	11,621	0.6
Sea fish landings (metric tons)	1982	69,732	14.9
Sea fish landings ($'000)	1982	34,490	13.3
Number of manufacturing establishments	1981	49	6.0
Value of manufacturing shipments ($'000)	1981	69,639	1.8
Number of permits for residential units	1983	142	2.4
Value of total building permits ($'000)	1983	5,696	1.2

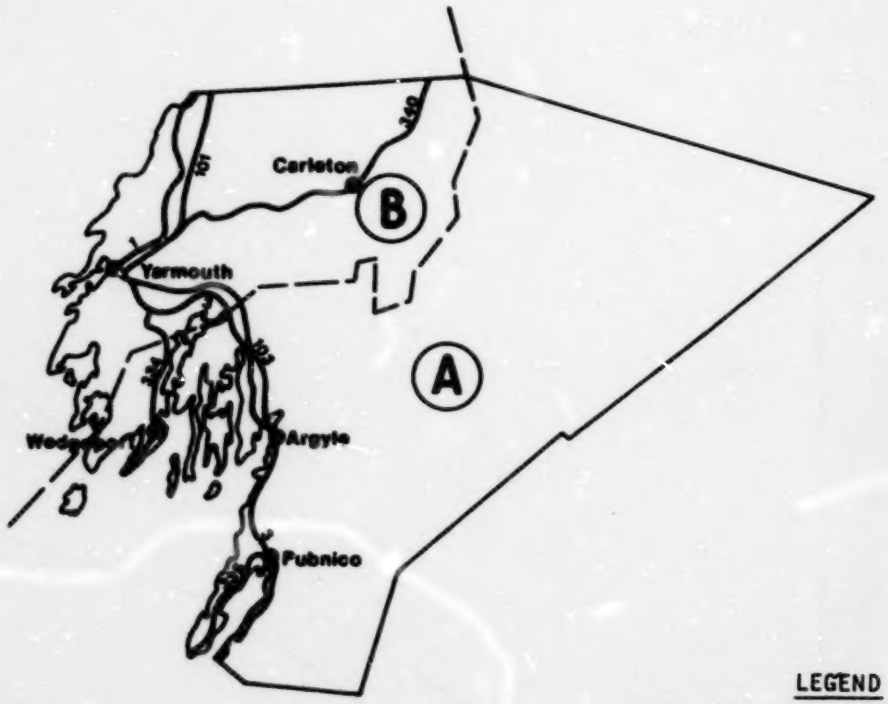
SOURCES: Statistics Canada, Canadian Markets, Fisheries and Oceans Canada, Revenue Canada



Map 1

Subdivisions, Communities and Highways

Yarmouth County



LEGEND

Census Subdivision A - Argyle

Census Subdivision B - Yarmouth

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Highway & Number —3—

Graph 1

Index of Population Growth
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1961-1981

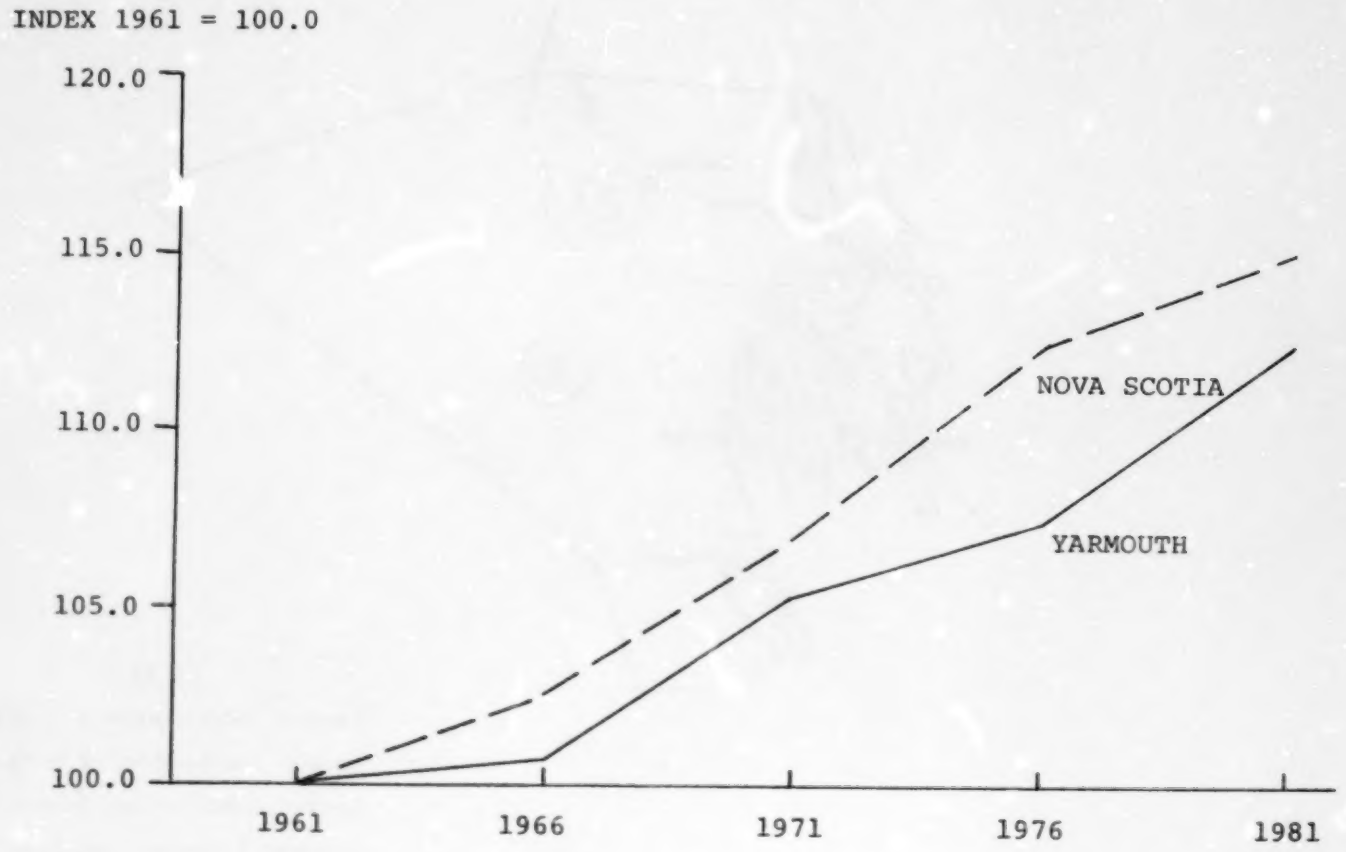


Table 1

Population Growth
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1961-1981

	1961	1966	1971	1976	1981
NOVA SCOTIA	737,007	756,039	788,960	828,571	847,442
Yarmouth County	23,386	23,552	24,682	25,210	26,290
Yarmouth	8,636	8,319	8,519	7,801	7,475
Argyle, municipality	7,810	8,117	8,517	8,618	8,949
Yarmouth, municipality	6,935	7,104	7,640	8,767	9,842
Indian Reserves	5	12	9	24	24

Index of Population Growth
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1961-1981

NOVA SCOTIA	100.0	102.6	107.0	112.4	115.0
Yarmouth County	100.0	100.7	105.5	107.8	112.4
Yarmouth	100.0	96.3	98.6	90.3	86.6
Argyle, municipality	100.0	103.9	109.0	110.3	114.6
Yarmouth, municipality	100.0	102.4	110.2	126.4	141.9
Indian Reserves	100.0	240.0	180.0	480.0	480.0

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 2

Population of Unincorporated Centres of 100 +
Yarmouth County, 1976 and 1981

	1976	1981		1976	1981
Amiraults Hill	374	396	Overton	256	236
Arcadia	327	481	Pembroke	138	176
Beaver River-Woodvale	140	156	Pinkneys Point	308	291
Brenton	48	160	Pleasant Lake	142	189
Carleton	261	213	Plymouth	231	282
Central Chebogue	135	176	Port Maitland	487	475
Dayton	169	173	Pubnico	170	173
Deerfield	118	168	Rockville	243	281
Hebron	388	390	Sand Beach	163	174
Hubbards Point	230	238	Sandford	307	305
Lower Argyle	237	220	Sluice Point	270	338
Lower East Pubnico	172	173	South Ohio	114	366
Lower Eel Brook	154	200	Surettes Island	236	240
Lower Wedgeport	600	551	Tusket	400	388
Lower West Pubnico	778	790	Upper Wedgeport	205	295
Melbourne	260	302	Wedgeport	797	827
Middle East Pubnico	218	240	Wellington	154	202
Middle West Pubnico	519	513	West Pubnico	571	574
Milton Highland	70	240			

Due to the lack of legal or official boundaries, the Census is not always able to distinguish the population of these unincorporated places from that of the surrounding area.

The population totals shown in this report for 1976 and 1981 should thus be considered approximations.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 3

Rural and Urban Population Distribution
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

	YARMOUTH COUNTY				NOVA SCOTIA			
	Number		%		Number		%	
	1976[1]	1981[2]	1976	1981	1976[1]	1981[2]	1976	1981
Rural	17,409	18,815	69.1	71.6	360,416	380,600	43.5	44.9
Non-Farm	16,840	18,341	66.8	69.8	338,970	362,484	40.9	42.8
Farm	569	474	2.3	1.8	21,446	18,116	2.6	2.1
Urban	7,801	7,475	30.9	28.4	468,155	466,842	56.5	55.1
Total	25,210	26,290	100.0	100.0	828,571	847,442	100.0	100.0

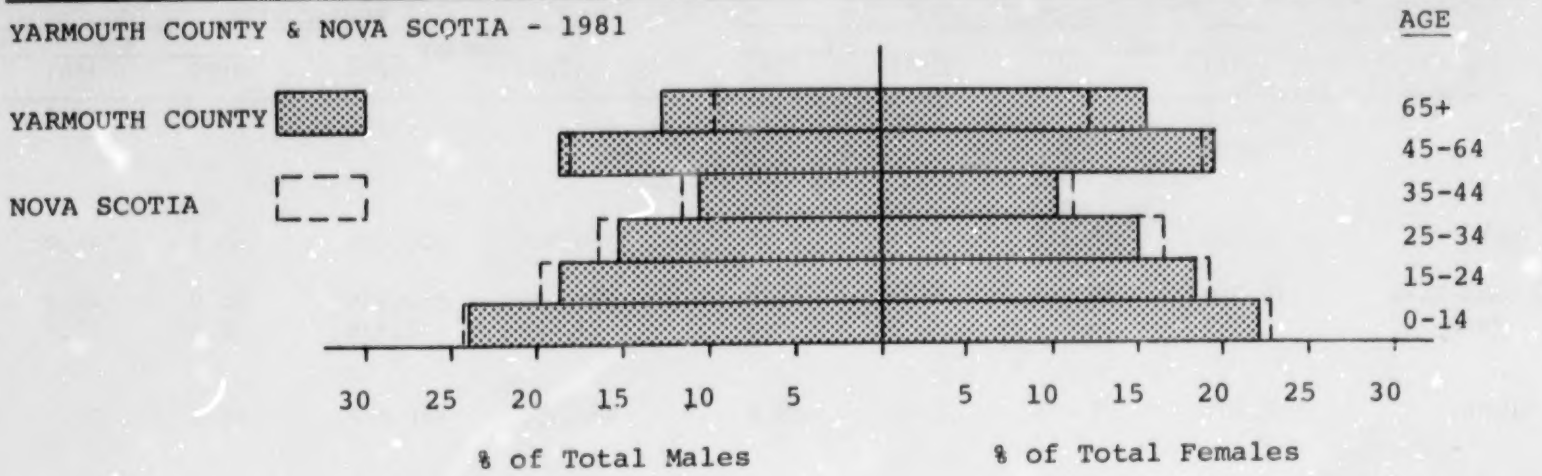
1 Based on 1981 definition of farm population.

2 Farm population in 1981 refers to all persons living in a farm operator household on a farm situated in either a rural or urban area. Only farms with sales of $250 or more are included.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Graph 2

Age-Sex Pyramids
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981



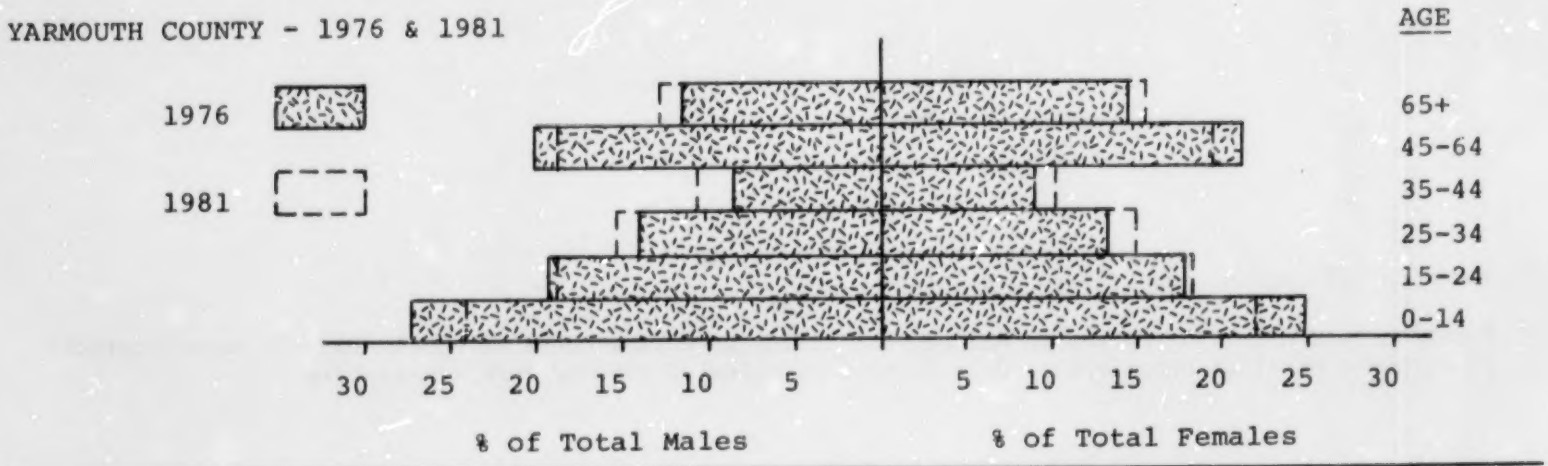


Table 4

Age-Sex % Distribution of the Population
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

Age	YARMOUTH COUNTY				NOVA SCOTIA			
	1976		1981		1976		1981	
	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
0-14	27.3	24.9	24.0	21.8	27.7	26.3	24.3	22.6
15-24	18.3	17.7	18.7	18.2	20.0	19.1	19.8	18.9
25-34	14.1	13.1	15.3	15.0	15.0	14.6	16.5	16.4
35-44	8.6	8.9	10.6	10.1	10.4	10.1	11.6	11.2
45-64	20.2	21.0	18.7	19.4	18.2	19.1	18.1	18.7
65+	11.5	14.3	12.7	15.5	8.6	10.8	9.7	12.2
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
TOTAL NUMBER	12,455	12,760	12,900	13,390	414,155	414,420	419,575	427,865

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 5

Population by Marital Status and Sex
Yarmouth County, 1981

		Total Population	SINGLE (NEVER MARRIED)			MARRIED			WIDOWED	DIVORCED
			Total	Under 15 yrs.	15 yrs. & Over	Total	Married	Separated		
Nova Scotia	- T	847,440	383,005	198,490	184,515	402,505	388,885	13,625	45,480	16,450
	- M	419,575	203,730	101,740	101,990	200,780	194,800	5,975	8,040	7,025
	- F	427,865	179,275	96,750	82,525	201,725	194,085	7,640	37,440	9,420
Yarmouth Co.	- T	26,290	11,305	6,015	5,290	12,915	12,475	440	2,075	490
	- M	12,900	5,970	3,095	2,875	6,440	6,250	195	480	200
	- F	13,390	5,330	2,920	2,410	6,470	6,230	240	1,590	290
Yarmouth	- T	7,475	3,300	1,490	1,810	3,290	3,070	220	885	240
	- M	3,475	1,685	775	910	1,620	1,640	85	175	85
	- F	3,995	1,615	720	895	1,670	1,535	140	710	160

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 6

Vital Statistics

Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1978-1982

	LIVE BIRTHS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE					DEATHS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE				
	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Yarmouth County	328	379	366	359	357	240	265	231	249	291
Yarmouth Town	107	103	102	102	105	82	120	86	92	104
Nova Scotia	12,548	12,406	12,369	12,079	12,325	6,877	6,843	7,004	6,958	6,941

SOURCE: Department of Health, Vital Statistics

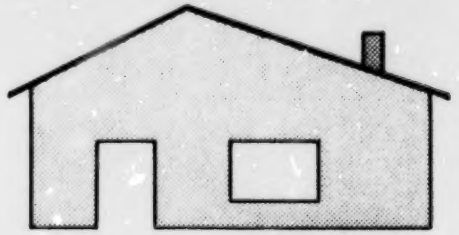


Table 7

Family Characteristics
Yarmouth County, 1981

	TOTAL FAMILIES	FAMILIES BY NUMBER OF PERSONS							TOTAL PERSONS IN FAMILIES	AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER FAMILY	
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8+		1981	1976
Nova Scotia											
Number	216,200	78,495	48,280	50,540	24,520	9,315	3,125	1,920	721,035	3.3	3.5
% of Total	100.0	36.3	22.3	23.4	11.3	4.3	1.4	0.9			
Yarmouth County											
Number	6,915	2,715	1,470	1,545	755	300	100	35	22,585	3.3	3.4
% of Total	100.0	39.3	21.3	22.3	10.9	4.3	1.4	0.5			
Yarmouth	1,840	785	420	365	170	85	15	10	5,805	3.1	3.4
Argyle Munic.	2,370	810	525	585	285	110	50	10	8,015	3.4	3.6
Yarmouth Munic.	2,700	1,120	525	590	300	105	40	15	8,745	3.2	3.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 8

Family Incomes
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1980

	1980		
	Average Family Income	% of Nova Scotia Average	% Low Income Families of Total Families[1]
	$	%	%
Nova Scotia	21,872	100.0	14.2
Yarmouth County	19,758	90.3	14.6
Yarmouth Town	20,207	92.4	21.2
Argyle Municipality	19,937	91.2	12.8
Yarmouth Municipality	19,335	88.4	11.5

[1]Low income statistics are based on the revised (1978) cut-offs which were initially estimated from the 1978 National Family Expenditure Survey and then updated to 1980 by the changes in the Consumer Price Index since 1978. The cut-offs are based on size of family unit and population size of area of residence.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 9

Average Income Per Income Tax Filer
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1976-1981

	ALL RETURNS FILED			
	Number	Total Income $'000	Average Income $	% Average Income of Nova Scotia Average %
Yarmouth County				
- 1976	11,473	89,408	7,793	84.8
- 1977	11,348	97,637	8,604	97.5
- 1978[1]	14,261	120,428	8,444	91.1
- 1979	14,641	131,018	8,949	88.5
- 1980	14,880	147,407	9,906	89.6
- 1981	15,216	165,626	10,885	87.0

	PERCENTAGE OF RETURNS BY INCOME GROUP			
	YARMOUTH COUNTY		NOVA SCOTIA	
Income Group	1976 %	1981 %	1976 %	1981 %
Under $2,000	10.8		11.0	
$ 2,000 - $ 4,000	19.7	32.0	14.3	29.4
$ 4,000 - $ 5,000	8.6		6.7	
$ 5,000 - $ 7,500	36.7	12.2	31.7	10.8
$ 7,500 - $10,000		11.8		10.0
$10,000 - $15,000	13.9	19.4	19.7	9.5
$15,000 - $20,000	5.6	10.9	10.2	20.5
$20,000 - $25,000	4.7	5.7	6.3	8.3
$25,000 - $30,000		3.6		5.0
$30,000 +		4.4		6.5

[1]Comparatively lower average income in 1978 is due to a greater number of low income returns filed to claim child tax credit. This claim applies also to succeeding years.

SOURCE: Revenue Canada, Taxation; Taxation Statistics

Table 10

Households and Average Number of Persons per Household
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

	NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS		AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD	
	1976	1981	1976	1981
Nova Scotia	243,100	273,195	3.3	3.0
Yarmouth County	7,555	8,555	3.3	3.0
Yarmouth Town	2,510	2,675	3.0	2.7
Argyle Municipality	2,385	2,730	3.6	3.3
Yarmouth Municipality	2,655	3,140	3.2	3.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 11

Occupied Dwellings by Tenure and Type
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1976 and 1981

	YARMOUTH	MUNICIPALITY OF ARGYLE	MUNICIPALITY OF YARMOUTH	YARMOUTH COUNTY	NOVA SCOTIA
TENURE:					
1976 - Owned (%)	49.7	92.7	89.2	77.2	72.4
Rented (%)	50.3	7.3	10.8	22.8	27.6
Total (No.)	2,510	2,385	2,655	7,555	243,100
1981 - Owned (%)	48.8	92.0	89.2	77.4	71.5
Rented (%)	51.1	8.0	10.8	22.6	28.5
Total (No.)	2,675	2,730	3,140	8,555	273,195
TYPE:					
1976 - Singles, Doubles & Row (%)	76.3	94.0	92.4	87.7	78.9
Apartments (%)	23.3	1.2	1.9	8.7	15.4
Mobile (%)	0.4	4.8	5.7	3.6	5.7
Total (No.)	2,510	2,385	2,655	7,555	243,100
1981 - Singles, Doubles & Row (%)	71.8	94.5	93.3	87.0	77.9
Apartments (%)	27.8	2.0	2.5	10.3	16.7
Mobile (%)	0.4	3.5	4.1	2.7	5.4
Total (No.)	2,675	2,730	3,140	8,555	273,195

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

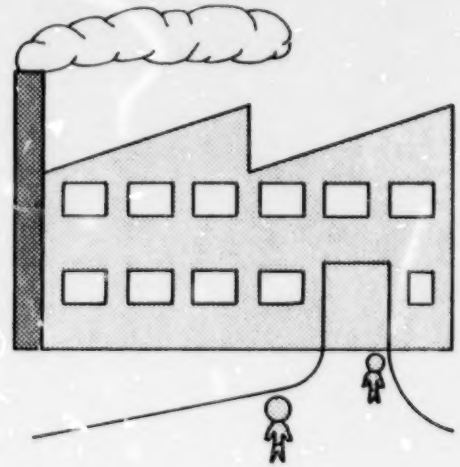


Table 12

Labour Force Activity
Yarmouth County, 1976 and 1981

	1976			1981		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Population 15+	9,060	9,570	18,630	9,720	10,290	20,015
Labour Force	5,990	3,230	9,220	6,600	4,290	10,895
Employment	5,530	2,800	8,330	6,090	3,715	9,805
Unemployment	460	430	890	510	580	1,090
Unemployment Rate [1]	7.7	13.3	9.7	7.7	13.5	10.0
Participation Rate [2]	66.1	33.8	49.5	67.9	41.7	54.4

1 Unemployed as a percent of labour force.

2 Labour force as a percent of population 15+.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 13

Labour Force, 15 Years and Over, by Age, Sex and Level of Schooling
Yarmouth County, 1981

	Total	No Certificate Or Diploma Less Than Grade 9	No Certificate Or Diploma Grades 9 - 13	High School Certificate Or Diploma	Trades, University Or Other Non-University Certificate Or Diploma	University Degree
Labour Force						
Total	10,895	2,405	3,385	1,330	3,105	675
Male	6,605	1,860	2,015	665	1,590	475
Female	4,290	540	1,365	665	1,515	205
Aged 15-24						
Total	2,805	360	1,000	600	735	110
Male	1,515	300	635	245	290	50
Female	1,285	60	370	355	445	60
Aged 25-44						
Total	5,075	1,085	1,410	460	1,725	400
Male	3,085	830	795	265	910	285
Female	1,995	255	615	190	810	120
Aged 45-54						
Total	1,530	465	445	175	360	85
Male	995	340	265	105	225	70
Female	530	125	190	70	140	10
Aged 55-64						
Total	1,235	410	420	85	250	70
Male	825	330	260	45	140	60
Female	405	85	160	45	115	10
Aged 65+						
Total	250	85	105	10	35	15
Male	180	65	75	5	30	10
Female	70	25	40	0	5	5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 14

Labour Force,[1] 15 Years and Over, by Sex, Showing Industry Divisions
Yarmouth County, 1981

	YARMOUTH COUNTY			% OF TOTAL LABOUR FORCE[1]	
	Male	Female	Total	Yarmouth Co.	Nova Scotia
Agriculture	155	40	195	1.8	2.3
Forestry	85	30	115	1.1	1.3
Fishing and Trapping	940	45	985	9.1	2.0
Mines, Quarries and Oil Wells	20	-	25	0.2	1.8
Manufacturing	1,450	775	2,230	20.7	15.0
Construction	605	50	655	6.1	6.5
Transportation, Communication & Other Utilities	600	160	765	7.1	8.0
Trade	1,285	855	2,135	19.8	17.4
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	140	215	350	3.2	4.4
Community, Business & Personal Services	845	1,810	2,655	24.7	29.2
Public Administration & Defence	440	225	665	6.2	12.1
Total Labour Force[1]	6,565	4,200	10,765	100.0	100.0

1 By place of residence, excludes persons looking for work who last worked prior to January 1, 1980, and who never worked.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 15

Experienced Labour Force[1] by Occupation Groups
Yarmouth County, 1981

	YARMOUTH COUNTY			% OF TOTAL EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE	
	Male	Female	Total	Yarmouth Co.	Nova Scotia
Managerial, Administrative & Related	550	195	740	6.9	7.3
Natural Sciences, Engineering & Math	95	20	115	1.1	2.8
Occupations in Social Sciences & Related	60	90	145	1.3	1.5
Occupations in Religion	30	15	45	0.4	0.3
Teaching & Related Occupations	180	195	375	3.5	4.7
Occupations in Medicine & Health	120	460	575	5.3	5.2
Artistic, Literary, Recreational & Related	70	20	90	0.8	1.2
Clerical & Related	270	1,195	1,465	13.6	16.5
Sales Occupations	595	375	970	9.0	9.2
Service Occupations	495	830	1,325	12.3	14.6
Farming, Horticulture & Animal Husbandry	195	25	215	2.0	2.3
Fishing, Hunting, Trapping & Related	1,110	30	1,140	10.6	2.4
Forestry & Logging	80	20	105	1.0	1.2
Mining & Quarrying	15	-	10	0.1	1.0
Processing Occupations	640	550	1,195	11.1	5.0
Machining & Related Occupations	65	10	70	0.7	1.6
Product Fabricating, Assembly & Repairing	485	60	545	5.1	6.1
Construction Trades	695	10	700	6.5	7.6
Transport Equipment Operating	460	20	480	4.5	4.4
Materials Handling & Related	140	25	165	1.5	2.2
Other Crafts & Equipment Operating	110	45	150	1.4	1.2
Occupations not Elsewhere Classified	115	20	135	1.3	1.7
Total Experienced Labour Force[1]	6,565	4,205	10,765	100.0	100.0

[1] Excludes persons looking for work, who last worked prior to January 1, 1980 or who never worked.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

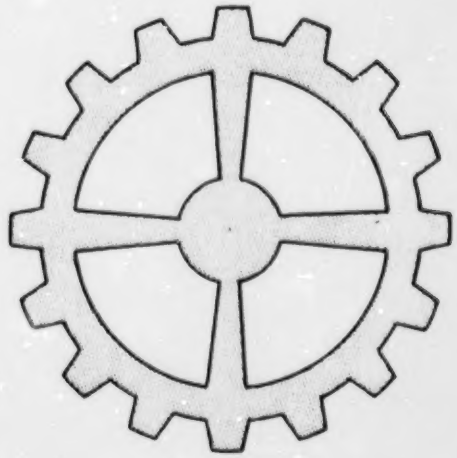


Table 16

Principal Farm Census Data
Yarmouth County, 1976 and 1931

	1976*	1981*
Farm Population	292	470
% of Total Population Living on Farms	1.2	1.8
Farm Operators by Age:		
Under 25 years	---	1
25-34 years	12	31
35-44 years	11	31
45-54 years	22	28
55-59 years	11	13
60-64 years	16	13
65 years and over	13	26
Total Number of Farms	85	143
- With sales of $2,500 +	65	70
Size of Farms:		
1- 9 acres	6	20
10- 69 acres	23	46
70- 129 acres	13	29
130- 179 acres	15	19
180- 239 acres	6	8
240- 399 acres	11	12
400- 559 acres	6	5
560- 759 acres	2	2
760- 1,119 acres	1	---
1,120- 1,599 acres	2	2
1,600+ acres	---	---

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Table 16 (con't.)

	1976*	1981*
Total Area of Farms - acres	16,792	18,626
Improved Land - acres	5,615	6,717
Under Crops - acres	2,677	3,156
Improved Pasture - acres	2,269	2,434
Summer Fallow - acres	9	39
Other Improved - acres	660	1,088
Unimproved Land - acres	11,177	11,909
Woodland - acres	8,966	9,188
Other Unimproved - acres	2,211	2,721
Average Size of Farms - acres	198	130
Improved Land as a % of Total Farm Land Area	33.4	30.1

*Note: In 1981, a Census farm is defined as an agricultural holding with sales of agricultural products during the year 1980 of $250 or more.

For 1976, a Census farm is defined as an agricultural holding of one acre or more with sales of agricultural products during the year 1975 of $1,200 or more.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 17

Census Farms by Economic Class and Product Type
Yarmouth County, 1976 and 1981

	1976*	1981*
Total number of farms	85	143
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold in previous year		
$250,000 and over	(	2
$100,000 - $249,999	(2	5
$ 50,000 - $ 99,999	5	8
$ 25,000 - $ 49,999	14	12
$ 10,000 - $ 24,999	11	8
$ 5,000 - $ 9,999	15	18
$ 2,500 - $ 4,999	18	17
Under $2,500	20	73
Number of census farms with sales of $2,500 or more classified by product type - Total	65	70
Dairy	29	25
Cattle, hogs, sheep (excluding dairy farms)	14	19
Poultry	---	---
Wheat	---	---
Smallgrains (excluding wheat farms)	---	---
Field crops, other than smallgrains	1	---
Fruits and vegetables	4	7
Miscellaneous specialty	9	14
Mixed	8	5
Livestock combination	2	3
Field crops combination	---	---
Other combinations	6	2

*Note: See Table 16 for definition of census farms in 1976 and 1981.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

Table 18

Landed Value and Weight of Sea Fisheries
Yarmouth County, 1978-1982

	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Value - $'000	21,636	19,398	27,126	29,593	34,490
% of Nova Scotia total	11.1	9.0	11.7	11.2	13.3
Weight - metric tonnes	47,182	31,057	50,766	61,679	69,732
% of Nova Scotia total	10.2	7.5	11.3	12.9	14.9

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 24-205. Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Table 19

Number of Fishermen by Percent of Income Derived from Fishery
Yarmouth County, 1978-1982

	% of Income Derived from Fishery			
	Total	0-25%	26-75%	76-100%
1978	1,359	359	223	777
1979	1,333	373	202	758
1980	1,364	404	194	766
1981	1,165	265	123	777
1982	1,120	233	108	779
% of Nova Scotia				
1978	13.8	11.5	12.5	15.8
1979	12.3	9.3	12.2	14.8
1980	11.9	9.6	11.3	13.9
1981	10.2	8.1	7.7	11.9
1982	10.2	7.3	7.7	12.2

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 24-205. Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Table 20

Area of Land Classes
Yarmouth County, 1979-1980

	Area (Hectares)*	% of Total Area
Forest Land		
Productive Forest		
1. Softwood	59,680	25.7
2. Mixed Wood	55,820	24.1
3. Hardwood	34,490	14.9
Total Forested Land	149,990	64.7
Non-Forested Land	48,360	20.8
Water and Flowage	33,540	14.5
Total Area of County	232,020	100.0

*1 hectare = 2.471 acres

SOURCE: Nova Scotia Forest Inventory, Western Subdivision - 1979-80.

Table 21

Forest Production Statistics
Yarmouth County, 1981-1982

	Sawn Lumber (M. fbm.)					Pulpwood (M^3 - solid wood)				
	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Softwood	4,018	2,780	2,998	2,503	2,135	28,241	13,383	6,798	10,209	11,621
Hardwood	30	255	119	41	35	-	-	-	-	-
Total	4,048	3,055	3,117	2,544	2,170	28,241	13,383	6,798	10,209	11,621
% of Nova Scotia										
Softwood	2.2	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.0	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.6
Hardwood	0.6	2.7	1.6	0.4	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
Total	2.2	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.6

SOURCE: Nova Scotia Forest Products Directory

Table 22

Forest Production Statistics (in Common Measure)
Yarmouth County, 1981-1982

	1981	1982	% OF NOVA SCOTIA 1981	% OF NOVA SCOTIA 1982
Lumber (M. fbm.)	2,544	2,170	1.5	1.4
Boxwood (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Railway Ties (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Mine Packs (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Laths (M's)	805	909	14.1	16.8
Shingles (Squares)	164	95	21.1	9.9
Staves & Headings (M. fbm.)	-	-	-	-
Residue Chips (M^3 Stacked)	-	-	-	-
Pulpwood - Rough (M^3 Stacked)	16,754	19,070	0.4	0.6
Pit Props - Rough (M^3 Stacked)	-	-	-	-
Poles & Piling (M^3)	-	-	-	-

SOURCE: Nova Scotia Forest Products Directory

Table 23

Principal statistics for Manufacturing Industries
Yarmouth County, 1978-1981

	MANUFACTURING ACTIVITY									
	Year	Number of Establishments	Production and Related Workers Man-Hours Paid ($'000)			Wages ($'000)	Cost of Fuel & Electricity ($'000)	Cost of Materials & Supplies ($'000)	Value of Shipments of Goods of Own Manufacture ($'000)	Value Added Manufacturing Activity ($'000)
			Male	Female						
Yarmouth Town	1978	13	341	263	1,226	5,200	887	16,344	27,114	9,760
	1979	15	431	334	1,569	7,397	1,107	23,308	35,167	11,519
	1980	18	443	341	1,595	8,403	1,217	23,761	38,566	14,963
	1981	19	455	287	1,433	8,264	1,646	27,272	46,626	18,772
Argyle Municipality	1978	14	178	98	584	2,338	281	7,240	11,615	4,810
	1979	18	140	91	508	2,409	398	8,178	16,444	7,273
	1980	17	197	120	686	3,571	484	11,815	17,484	5,948
	1981	14	147	133	575	3,189	510	10,925	16,477	4,909
Yarmouth Municipality	1978	15	150	36	373	1,737	194	5,615	9,541	3,728
	1979	14	152	38	386	2,098	194	5,987	11,453	5,281
	1980	14	62	7	139	883	136	3,171	5,376	2,103
	1981	16	75	11	172	1,151	91	4,266	6,536	2,204
Yarmouth County	1978	42	669	397	2,183	9,276	1,362	29,199	48,270	18,298
	1979	47	723	463	2,463	11,904	1,700	37,472	63,065	24,073
	1980	49	702	468	2,419	12,857	1,837	38,747	61,426	23,014
	1981	49	677	431	2,180	12,604	2,247	42,463	69,639	25,885
% Yarmouth County of Nova Scotia	1978	5.9	3.1	7.0	3.8	2.8	1.0	1.8	1.8	2.0
	1979	6.1	3.1	7.8	3.8	3.0	1.1	1.8	2.0	2.3
	1980	6.0	3.1	7.6	3.9	3.0	1.2	1.8	1.8	1.9
	1981	6.0	3.0	7.1	3.6	2.7	1.1	1.8	1.8	2.0

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 31-209

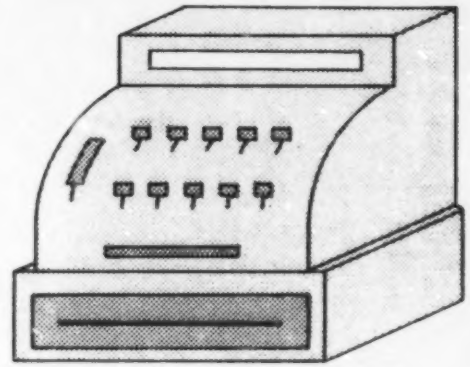

Table 24

Retail Sales

Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1981-1983

	YEAR	YARMOUTH COUNTY ($'000)	RETAIL SALES PER CAPITA YARMOUTH COUNTY[1] ($)	NOVA SCOTIA ($)
Food	1981	18,900	719	876
	1982	23,000	875	1,023
	1983	-	-	1,133
Automotive	1981	14,700	559	905
	1982	15,200	578	867
	1983	-	-	963
Clothing	1981	5,200	198	171
	1982	5,900	224	184
	1983	-	-	200
Hardware	1981	5,100	194	34
	1982	2,300	87	35
	1983	-	-	39
Home Furnishings Appliances, TV, Radios	1981	2,300	87	67
	1982	2,600	99	73
	1983	-	-	77
Total Retail Sales[2]	1981	69,800	2,655	3,315
	1982	78,900	3,001	3,540
	1983	90,300	3,358	3,994

[1]Sales per capita are derived by using the 1981 Census populations.

[2]Includes sales of other retail groups not specified above.

SOURCE: The Financial Post, Canadian Markets

Table 25
Building Permits
Yarmouth County and Nova Scotia, 1980-1983

	NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS			VALUE OF CONSTRUCTION				
	Single & Double Dwellings	Other	Total	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional & Government	Total
		(units)				($'000)		
1980								
Argyle Municipality	85	15	100	3,019	112	114	-	3,245
Yarmouth Municipality	106	-	106	3,341	156	371	547	4,415
Total Yarmouth County	191	15	206	6,360	268	485	547	7,660
Nova Scotia	3,734	924	4,658	177,181	37,858	75,016	38,121	328,176
1981								
Argyle Municipality	58	-	58	1,995	48	70	-	2,113
Yarmouth Municipality	68	-	68	2,217	105	54	5	2,381
Total Yarmouth County	126	-	126	4,212	153	124	5	4,494
Nova Scotia	3,374	1,063	4,437	196,312	43,899	76,245	60,086	376,542
1982								
Argyle Municipality	52	-	52	1,576	7	104	5	1,692
Yarmouth Municipality	64	-	64	2,131	157	240	516	3,044
Total Yarmouth County	116	-	116	3,707	164	344	521	4,736
Nova Scotia	3,272	526	3,789	181,371	18,555	58,675	65,266	323,867
1983								
Argyle Municipality	66	-	66	2,359	69	110	157	2,695
Yarmouth Municipality	76	-	76	2,701	126	135	39	3,001
Total Yarmouth County	142	-	142	5,060	195	245	196	5,696
Nova Scotia	4,971	1,052	6,023	320,624	17,347	74,764	56,516	469,251

SOURCE: Statistics Canada, 64-203, 64-001

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MUNICIPALITIES AND 1983 TAX RATES (PER $100 OF ASSESSMENT)

	Residential	Commercial
Town of Yarmouth	$ 1.55	$ 3.10
Municipality of Argyle	.85	1.75
Municipality of Yarmouth	.89	2.02

AREA AND DENSITY

	Land Area Sq. Kilometers	Population Density Per Sq. Kilometer
Yarmouth	11.1	671.0
Municipality of Argyle	1,470.9	6.1
Municipality of Yarmouth	588.3	16.7
County of Yarmouth	2,070.7	12.7

DEMOGRAPHICS (ALL AS PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION)

Religion - 1981		Ethnic Groups - 1981		Mother Tongue - 1981	
Roman Catholic	54.4%	British Isles	53.2%	English	72.5%
United Church	6.4%	French	36.2%	French	26.9%
Anglican	4.1%	German	0.8%	Other	0.6%
Other Protestant	30.7%	Other	9.8%		
Other	4.4%				

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES

During 1983-84, Yarmouth County had 310 teachers and a student enrolment of 2,696 elementary, 1,338 junior high, 1,043 senior high and 105 in other programs. There were 32 teachers and 348 students at the Dr. George A. Burridge Regional Vocational in Yarmouth.

HOSPITALS

Yarmouth Regional Hospital, Yarmouth	165 beds, 20 bassinets

INDUSTRIAL PARKS

Yarmouth Industrial Park

LARGEST INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYERS

	Approximate Employment
Dominion Textile Inc., Yarmouth	400
Kennebec Fisheries Ltd., Yarmouth	150
Laurence Sweeney Fisheries Ltd., Yarmouth	130
Alwood Products Div., Yarmouth	123
Wedgeport Marine Products Limited, Wedgeport	105
Cheboque Fisheries Ltd., Kelleys Cove	100
Fundy Group Publications, Yarmouth	90

TRANSPORTATION

Highways	Kilometers
Paved Highways - Arterial	76.3
- Collector	176.1
- Local	204.4
Unpaved Highways	542.9
Total	999.7

Road Motor Vehicle Registrations, 1982	Number
Passenger Automobiles	8,006
Trucks and buses	3,225
Total	11,231

Rail

The Dominion Atlantic Railway (CP) operates daily freight service between Yarmouth and Halifax through the Annapolis Valley. VIA Rail provides passenger service on this route on a daily basis.

Air

Air Canada flight services to Halifax, Saint John and Boston are available at Yarmouth commercial airport.

Bus

MacKenzie Bus Lines operates from Yarmouth to Halifax via the South Shore, while Acadian Lines Limited travels between the two locations through the Annapolis Valley. Connections are available to other in and out of province locations.

TRANSPORTATION (Continued)

Marine

There are 17 existing port facilities in Yarmouth Harbour serving fishing, general cargo, ferry, liquid bulk and non-cargo activities. CN Marine operate a year round ferry service between Yarmouth and Bar Harbour while Prince of Fundy Ltd. operate a ferry service to Portland during the summer months (May to October).

COMMUNICATIONS

Newspapers and Magazines

Yarmouth - The Vanguard	Circ. 12,500 - weekly
Yarmouth - The Viking	Circ. 17,000 - 6 issues, tourist publication
Yarmouth - Le Courrier de la Nouvelle-Ecosse	Circ. 3,700 - weekly
Yarmouth - Farm Focus	Circ. 10,767 - twice a month
Yarmouth - The Sou'wester	Circ. 9,200 - twice a month

Radio Stations

Yarmouth - CJLS	5,000 watts (day)	1,000 watts (night)
Yarmouth - CBHT-FM		38,600 watts
Yarmouth - CBAF-FM		

3 Sub-stations at Yarmouth, Wedgeport and Quinan each operates on 40 watts of output.

TV Stations

Yarmouth - CJCH - 7	Channel 40	12,000 watts
Yarmouth - CBHT - 3	Channel 11	15,700 watts
Yarmouth - CBHFT - 1	Channel 3	1,900 watts

Viking Cable TV Limited serves Yarmouth, Hebron, Dayton and Milton Highlands.
Edward A. Vacon serves Pubnico (CANCOM).

SHOPPING CENTRES

Yarmouth Mall (Starrs Road)	9,290 m^2
K-Mart Shopping Plaza (Starrs Road)	10,070 m^2
Parade Square Mall	1,654 m^2

TRAVELLER ACCOMMODATIONS

	Hotel Rooms	Motel Units	Guest House Rooms	Cottages & Cabins	Total
Pubnico	-	12	-	-	12
Yarmouth	138	295	40	12	485
Total	138	307	40	12	497

CULTURAL FACILITIES

Libraries

Durkee Memorial Library, Carleton
Western Counties Regional Library, Yarmouth; Branch in Pubnico

Museums and Art Galleries

Yarmouth County Historical Society Museum, Yarmouth
The Firefighters' Museum of Nova Scotia and National Exhibition Centre, Yarmouth
Acadia Museum of Yarmouth County, West Pubnico